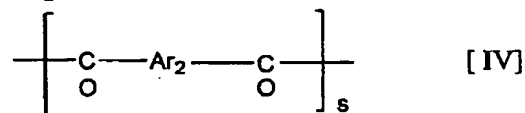
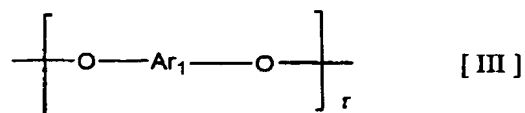
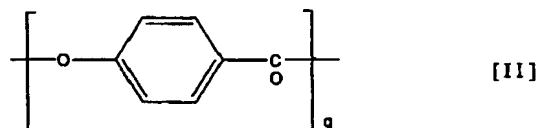
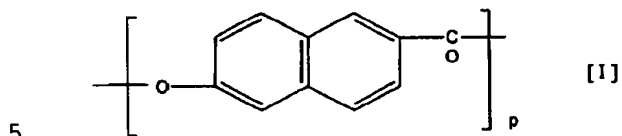


ABSTRACT

The present invention provides a liquid-crystalline polyester resin, essentially consisting of the repeating units represented by formulae [I]-[IV]:



wherein p , q , r and s satisfy the following formulae: $0.4 \leq p/q \leq 2.0$, $2 \leq r \leq 15$, $2 \leq s \leq 15$, and $p+q+r+s = 100$, provided that the liquid-crystalline polyester resin has a melting point of $190-250^\circ\text{C}$ determined by differential scanning calorimetry.

The liquid-crystalline polyester resin of the present invention exhibits a good molding processability at low temperatures and excellent mechanical properties.